Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 06 Oct 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 07 Oct 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 05 Oct 2021 at 15:54

Confidence: High for largely fine and settled for much of the day Wednesday, a cloudy day with occasional rain Thursday and more settled again through into the weekend but lower with regard to cloud details from Friday

Headline for Wednesday 06 Oct 2021: Sunny start with winds easing, but cloud increasing with rain later.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 06 Oct 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Light rain	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
10%	<05%	00%	00%	00%	<05%	60%	40%

Forecast for Wednesday 06 Oct 2021

Weather: Any remaining showers over northern hills soon dying out, then dry with long clear spells through the early hours. Then a sunny start but cloud above the summits increasing from the west through the morning to leave a rather cloudy afternoon. Outbreaks of rain spread east through the late afternoon and then turn patchier through the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 100% falling to around 60% in the far west towards the end of the afternoon and near zero through the evening

Visibility: Occasional or periods of cloud developing above 450-600m towards the end of the afternoon in the far west and becoming more widespread through the evening. Otherwise visibility very good with some decent panoramic views of surrounding hills and mountains, especially through the morning, falling to several kilometres in rain later.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	36/44 NW	32/39 NW	25/29 NW	18/22 W	15/21 W	20/27 SW	29/36 S	35/43 S	33/43 SW
600	23/31 NW	18/25 NW	13/18 NW	11/15 NW	12/17 W	17/23 SW	21/27 S	23/31 S	22/32 SW
300	13/26 NW	10/20 NW	6/13 NW	6/11 NW	8/14 W	10/18 SW	13/22 S	14/25 S	13/24 SW
Valley	14/26 NW	11/21 NW	7/13 NW	6/11 NW	8/15 W	11/19 SW	14/24 S	16/28 S	14/26 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	4/-3	4/-3	4/-2	4/-0	6/2	6/2	7/2	8/3	10/5
600	7/2	6/2	6/2	7/4	9/6	9/6	9/5	10/6	11/8
300	9/6	8/5	8/6	10/8	12/10	12/10	11/9	12/9	13/11
Valley	10/7	9/7	9/7	11/10	13/11	13/11	12/10	13/10	14/12
Freezing Level*	1400m	1300m	1300m	1400m	1400m	3000m	3200m	3100m	2800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Gusts around 50mph in early hours with significant chill over higher fells. Valley temperatures locally around 6 or 7 Celsius at dawn rising to plus 15 or 16 Celsius by day.

Forecast for Thursday 07 Oct 2021

Weather: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain, perhaps occasionally heavy, in the west. In east, mainly dry and bright with some good spells of sunshine developing.

Maximum wind: Southerly or southwesterly 25-30mph with gusts around 50mph over higher ridges and summits.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Near zero generally but around 40% rising to 75% in east

Visibility: Periods or persistent cloud above about 450-600m, occasionally 300m over western hills, but at times more occasional above 600m, and becoming occasional above 750m later, in the east. Otherwise visibility good, or in east occasionally very good, falling to several kilometres in rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Around plus 12 Celsius rising to plus 15 or 16 Celsius in west but 18 or 19 Celsius in east
At 800m: Plus 11 or 12 Celsius
Freezing level: Well above the summits

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Ground Conditions Supplement
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